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SUBJECT: NATIONAL QUOTAS UNDER SUGAR PROTOCOL OF EC-ACP CONVENTION

REF: EC BRUSSELS 01130 EC A-72

1. PURSUANT TO THE SUGAR PROTOCOL UNDER THE EC-ACP CONVENTION
(REFTEL), THESE COUNTRIES HAVE NOTIFIED THE COMMUNITY OF THE FOLLOW
ING QUOTA AMOUNTS THEY WILL EXPORT JULY 1, 1975-JUNE 30, 1976
(LONG TONS, RAW SUGAR):

MAURITIUS	492,100
FIJI	166,000
GUYANA	160,000
JAMAICA	120,000
SWAZILAND	118,100
TRINIDAD	70,000
BARBADOS	50,000
BELIZE	40,000

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MALAWI	20,300
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ST. KITTS	15,000
KENYA	0
MADAGASCAR	0
P.R. OF CONGO	0
TANZANIA	0
UGANDA	0
SURINAM	0
INDIA	0

1,251,500 (1,235,700M.T. WHITE
SUGAR EQUIVALENT)

2. ALTHOUGH BELIZE, ST. KITTS, SURINAM AND INDIA ARE NOT SIGN-
ATORIES TO THE EC-ACP CONVENTION, THEY WILL BE COVERED UNDER THE
EC COMMITMENT TO IMPORT ANNUALLY (ON A JULY 1-JUNE 30 BASIS)
1.4 MILLION M.T. WHITE SUGAR EQUIVALENT AT A GUARANTEED PRICE
WITHIN THE RANGE OF EC SUGAR SUPPORT PRICES.

3. DESPITE THE FEBRUARY 14 DEADLINE FOR SUPPLIERS TO SUBMIT
THEIR QUOTA COMMITMENTS, NEGOTIATIONS RE CONTINUING WITH INDIA OF
A NATIONAL QUOTA OF AROUND 25,000-30,000 LONG TONS, AND NEGOTIA-
TIONS ARE STILL OPEN WITH THE OTHER SUPPLIERS WHO HAVE NOT YET
REPORTED.

4. FAILURE TO NOTIFY A NATIONAL QUOTA OFFER WITHIN THE VERY NEAR
FUTURE WILL MEAN AUTOMATIC EXCLUSION FOR THAT COUNTRY FROM TH EC
GUARANTEES UNDER THE SUGAR PROTOCOL. THE QUOTAS WHICH ARE NOTIFIED
FOR THE 1975-76 SEASON WILL SERVE AS A BASIS FOR THE FOLLOWING
SEASONS. THEY WILL BE REVIEWED BY THE COMMUNITY AFTER ONE YEAR, AND
COMPARED TO ACTUAL SUPPLY DELIVERIES. IF A COUNTRY FAILS TO
FULFILL ITS QUOTA BECAUSE IT CHOOSES TO EXPORT OUTSIDE THE
COMMUNITY, ITS QUOTA WILL BE DECREASED BY THE AMOUNT
IT FAILED TO DELIVER TO THE COMMUNITY. THIS AMOUNT MAY BE ADDED
TO THE QUOTAS OF OTHER COUNTRIES UNDER THE PROTOCOL. IF A COUNTRY
FAILS TO DELIVER ITS FULL QUOTA FOR REASONS OF "FORCE MAJEURE"
IT WILL CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN ITS RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS AT ITS
OLD QUOTA LEVEL.
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